UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA SHREVEPORT DIVISION

MICHAEL ELLIS #129424, Plaintiff

CIVIL DOCKET NO. 5:19-CV-00556 SEC

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VERSUS

JUDGE ELIZABETH E. FOOTE

JAMES KEITH DEVILLE, Defendants

MAGISTRATE JUDGE PEREZ-MONTES

JUDGMENT

For the reasons contained in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein (ECF No. 17), noting the absence of objections thereto, and concurring with the Magistrate Judge's findings under the applicable law;

IT IS ORDERED that the Petition (ECF No. 1) is hereby DENIED and DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE.

Rule 11 of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Proceedings for the U.S. District Courts requires the district court to issue or deny a certificate of appealability when it enters a final order adverse to the applicant. The court, after considering the record in this case and the standard set forth in 28 U.S.C. Section 2253, denies a certificate of appealability because the applicant has not made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Shreveport, Louisiana, on this 30th day of November 2021.

ELIZABETHE FOOTE

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE